

START CIVIL SUIT AGAINST ODENWALD

German Steamship Attempted to Slip Out of San Juan Harbor.

WASHINGTON, March 30.—Additional information about the attempt of the German steamship Odenwald to slip out of the harbor of San Juan, Porto Rico, without clearance papers a week ago Sunday was received here tonight from Collector of Customs Richardson, one of the central figures in the drama which led to the seizure of the Odenwald by a United States marshal for alleged violation of American neutrality.

Mr. Richardson's report, the first full account of what happened at San Juan to reach Washington, was sent to the state department and may be turned over to the department of justice for use in the prospective suit to confiscate the vessel.

The Odenwald had taken on coal and provisions just before starting out of the harbor, but Collector Richardson says she had no unusual quantities aboard nor were there any arms or ammunition. Some officials think, however, that the dash to sea was carefully planned and timed just at the right moment to meet another steamship waiting in the offing.

The presence of this steamer had only been hinted at in previous official reports, but Richardson declares that he personally saw clouds of smoke outside the harbor as the Odenwald got under way and he enclosed statements from other persons who saw a large steamer just at this time a short distance outside.

It has been said that this ship was the German converted cruiser Kronprinz Wilhelm and that the Odenwald made her attempt to get away to carry her coal and provisions.

The report said investigation after a five-inch shell from Morro Castle had stopped the Odenwald showed that five rowboats had been anchored along the channel, indicating a prearranged plan to point the way out of the harbor for the German skipper.

Attorney General Gregory has said that he expects to develop first the civil case seeking confiscation of the Odenwald before deciding whether to bring criminal proceedings against the captain or owners.

OILTON BANK IS READY FOR ROBBERS

OILTON, Okla., March 30.—The fact that the oil field towns were found to be prepared to withstand a bank robbery is what saved one and perhaps several of them from being the scene of the robbery which was pulled off at Strand instead, according to Walter R. Eaton, member of the recent legislature, which passed the measure offering rewards for bank robbers. The measure had been discussed so thoroughly that Mr. Eaton took up the matter of protection against robbery with Messrs. Gilliland and Epps of the First State bank of Oilton. As a result the scene of the proposed action of the robbers was shifted.

It would be a difficult matter, in fact, to pull off a robbery in Oilton because of the preparations that have been made. Guns have been placed at different positions commanding the bank, and as soon as an alarm is given men who are expert shots will have the situation in hand. Guns have also been placed on the outskirts of town, thus commanding the avenues of escape. At another place the man with the gun is afforded protection for himself by the use of a heavy piece of tank steel as a barrier. Through this steel portholes have been cut and loading and firing, if necessary, through these watchtowers fully cover that section of the town.

SIX DEFENDANTS ARE OUT OF JAIL

Trial Judge in Election Fraud Case "Takes Care of the Men."

INDIANAPOLIS, March 30.—At the trial of the Terre Haute election case in federal court this afternoon Judge A. B. Anderson said that he felt it his duty "to take care of some of the defendants." His remark came after two Terre Haute policemen who, called by the defense to testify to the reputation of some of the men who have pleaded guilty, on cross examination gave evidence considered favorable to the government.

After the jury had retired the court announced that he would release the six defendants who have pleaded guilty and who were taken from the jail at Terre Haute and brought to Indianapolis to testify on a writ of habeas corpus and permit them to return to Terre Haute.

"And I say now," the court added, "that there shall be nothing done to them over there. I have been reliably informed that the defendants, Sheriff Dennis Shea and City Judge Thomas Smith, while they were in jail a few days ago tried to influence these boys. They promised to take care of them if they would tell certain things. I shall take care of them and I warn any policeman, sheriff or citizen not to arrest or molest them."

Officers Handicapped.
El H. Redman, the defendant who was declared elected judge of the circuit court by ten votes, had completed his direct examination and was being cross-examined when court adjourned. He denied every item of evidence produced against him by the government.

Thomas Barry, one of the patrolmen on cross-examination said he "felt his hands were tied six months before the election." He asserted that his prisoners frequently laughed and said they would be released in a few minutes. He added that he had arrested a man wanted for highway robbery and within ten minutes after he put him in the patrol wagon he (Barry) met him on the street.

A number of election inspectors were introduced to testify they did not receive instructions from Roberts to operate the lever on the voting machines. One of these, John H. Rogers, admitted on cross examination that he received such instruction at a meeting at which Roberts talked.

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VRONATZ ANSWERS TO MURDER CHARGE

Held Under \$1,000 Bond for the Killing of Roy Burris.

Steve (Dutch) Vronatz will have to stand trial in the superior court on a charge of murdering Roy Burris, according to the decision reached yesterday afternoon by Justice of the Peace S. J. Hoffer. When he held Vronatz to answer for the killing of Burris, Vronatz failed yesterday to make \$1,000 bond.

Deputy County Attorney Ed Warren, who conducted the case for the state, placed on the stand Emma Weaver, maid at the Koyan Inn, where the killing occurred, as the principal witness. Her story yesterday was in the main a reiteration of statements made in her confession shortly after the murder, about ten days ago. She said that when Burris called on Vronatz washing the windows while he was in the room that she volunteered to do the work for Vronatz. He, she testified, apparently became angered when Burris objected to his working in the room, where he said, and went down to the landlady's room and procured a gun.

"Do you want some of this?" Vronatz asked Burris, according to Mrs. Weaver.

"No, I don't," answered Burris. "At this juncture Mrs. Weaver said she interposed and begged Vronatz to shoot."

"Well, do you want some of it then?" Vronatz said threateningly. Mrs. Weaver swore that Burris, fearing that further interceding would be useless, grappled with Vronatz and in the scuffle one shot was fired which went into the ceiling. Then, the maid continued, Vronatz held Burris away with one hand and fired twice into his body. Burris dropped to the floor, dead, and Vronatz made his escape down a fire escape in the rear of the building.

Dr. F. M. Boso, who was immediately called and who examined the gun wounds, on the witness stand yesterday said that the first shot, which entered the lower left lung and ranged downward, possibly grazed the heart and was the shot that caused death. The second shot, which entered the groin, ranged inward, but would not necessarily have proven fatal in the opinion of Dr. Boso.

Mrs. W. Fitzpatrick, the last state's witness to be placed on the stand by Mr. Warren, only knew that three shots were fired and identified the gun used by Vronatz as the one she always kept in her desk.

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HEAVY MOVEMENT OF OIL FREIGHT

OILTON, Okla., March 30.—Today witnessed here the heaviest movement of freight in the entire country—two hundred cars being brought in from the Katy and Frisco lines in particular where the sidetracks have been congested for several weeks awaiting the completion of trackage in the Oilton yards. The movement included oil field and oil tank material and supplies and building material for Oilton.

To make this movement of freight absolutely certain, the Frisco company sent a special train to Oilton yesterday from Springfield, Mo., carrying four hundred workmen. They built three miles of sidetracks in the Oilton yards in the one day and were back to Springfield last night. A second special train into Oilton early yesterday carried the special cars of General Superintendent Prates, Superintendent Hopkins and Superintendent Mason of the western division. These officials were accompanied by General Agent Moore of Tulsa. Three engines, each pulling twenty cars of freight, were in Oilton by nine o'clock this morning.

MARRIED WOMEN BEST TEACHERS

PORTLAND, Ore., March 30.—R. H. Thomas, school clerk, testified today that married school teachers make the best teachers after the glamour of widowhood has worn off. His remark was made at a hearing where Mrs. Maud Richards is fighting to retain her place. Mrs. Richards was discharged the day after her marriage on January 4.

AT THE THEATRES

YALE

Florence La Badie and Morris Foster appear at the Yale today in a two-part play by Thanet House and entitled "The Duel in the Dark." Today is also Animated Weekly day, and this week's issue is crowded full of the best of the world's news, including some excellent views of the European war.

Don't miss the Nestor comedy entitled "His Wife's Husband." This comedy-drama is one of the best that the Yale has shown in some time and is worth an effort on your part to view. Two other good first-run dramas complete the program, but remember that the Yale pictures are shown on a mirror screen, which makes them all the more enjoyable.

Miss Olive Adair will be at the Yale on next Saturday in a two-part Majestic. In this picture she plays the leading part.

ORPHEUM

"The Avalanche," a powerful American story dealing with the board of trade of today, is one of the latest releases. It is in five parts and is said to be one of the strongest stories ever produced. Catherine Countiss will be seen in the leading female role and is supported by an all-star cast of Broadway favorites. Miss Countiss is one of the most popular and best known "stock" leading women in the country and should give a good account of herself in the silent drama, "The Avalanche," or the "Whirlpool," telling a beautiful love story all the way through the picture, while some of the most exciting and realistic scenes are enacted on the floor of the "board of trade." This is a picture that you will enjoy, so don't miss it.

Tomorrow—"As a Man Sows," a powerful story of love, romance, adventure and revenge.

LYRIC

The Lyric presents for today only, "The Shanty at Trembling Hill," a story adapted from the Munsey magazine. Vitaphone presents a special Broadway star feature comedy in four parts, "The Man Behind the Door," featuring Cissy Fitzgerald and all-star cast story in part as follows:

Jack De Lacy is not approved of as a prospective son-in-law by Professor Pearson, but Maria, the professor's daughter, refuses to marry anyone else. Later Jack rescues Kelsey, a New York millionaire, from drowning and slips away before anyone can identify him. He goes to New York and secures a position. Kelsey determines to find his unknown preserver and thank him.

Maria and Jack quarrel, and in pique, she accepts the attentions of Kelsey, while visiting Mrs. Marvin, a charming widow, in New York. Jack, the widow, who is engaged to Mr. Livingston, and flirts with her. Amusing complications occur, when, at the opera, Jack sees Maria seated in Mrs. Marvin's box and is in turn discovered by the two ladies.

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